

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY, JULY 29, 2008**, upon the application of **J-W OPERATING COMPANY**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Hosston Zone, Reservoir A, the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, and the Lower Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A**, in the Elm Grove Field, Caddo Parish, Louisiana.

1. To create one (1) additional drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Lower Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A, such unit being shown on the plat submitted with the application.
2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the proposed additional unit in accordance with Section 10, Title 30 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
3. To designate a unit operator of, and unit well for, the proposed unit as may be appropriate.
4. To authorize the downhole combination of production from the Lower Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A, the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, and the Hosston Zone, Reservoir A, or any combination thereof, in the wellbore of any well drilled on the additional unit proposed herein, and on the existing units designated HOSS RA SU94 and CV RA SU95, in which the interests in the units are identical.
5. To redefine the Lower Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A, INsofar AND ONLY INsofar as to the additional unit proposed herein, as being that gas and condensate bearing interval encountered between the depths of 10,030' and 12,100' (electrical log measurements) in the J-W Operating Company-Cohort Energy et al 22 No. 1 Well, located in Section 22, Township 16 North, Range 13 West.
6. To extend, except as in conflict herewith, the provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 361-E, effective July 16, 1996, as amended and supplemented by the Order No. 361-E Series of Orders, to the proposed additional unit for the Lower Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A.
7. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Hosston Zone, Reservoir A was defined in Order No. 361-A-1, effective October 1, 1972, and was further defined in subsequent Orders of the 361-A Series of Orders.

The Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A was defined in Order No. 361-B, effective October 1, 1973, and was future defined in subsequent Orders of the 361-B Series of Orders.

The Lower Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A was defined in Order No. 361-E, effective July 16, 1996.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge and Shreveport**, Louisiana.

www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

JAMES H. WELSH

COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, LA

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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.